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This letter corrects a typographical error in the Appeal Brief date before section (1) on the cover/title page (page 1) of the 6/8/2009 Examiner's Answer, which should read as follows:

This is in response to the Appeal Brief filed 3/20/2009 appealing from the Office action mailed 9/17/2008.

Any inquiry concerning this communication or earlier communications from the examiner should be directed to Marianne L. Padgett whose telephone number is (571) 272-1425. The examiner can normally be reached on M-F from about 9:00 a.m. to 5:00 p.m.

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